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**To:** [Anthony Talton \(Talton.Anthony@epa.gov\)](#); [Flemming, Tongee](#)  
**Cc:** [Atkins, Blake](#); [Webster, Susan](#)  
**Subject:** FW: [EXTERNAL] Wilcox - assistance Request  
**Date:** Wednesday, May 9, 2018 11:13:00 AM

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FYI

BTW – we don't have any Sp. Account for Wilcox, so it may come out from pipeline?

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**From:** Villarreal, Chris  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 09, 2018 11:07 AM  
**To:** Banipal, Ben <[banipal.ben@epa.gov](mailto:banipal.ben@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: [EXTERNAL] Wilcox - assistance Request

FYI

Do we have any funds for USFW support?

Thanks

Chris

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Coltrain, Katrina" <[coltrain.katrina@epa.gov](mailto:coltrain.katrina@epa.gov)>  
**Date:** April 25, 2018 at 7:54:06 AM CDT  
**To:** "Atkins, Blake" <[Atkins.Blake@epa.gov](mailto:Atkins.Blake@epa.gov)>, "Villarreal, Chris" <[villarreal.chris@epa.gov](mailto:villarreal.chris@epa.gov)>  
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Chris, Please see the estimated cost for USFW support for assistance at Wilcox.

thanks

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**From:** Forsythe, Barry [[mailto:barry\\_forsythe@fws.gov](mailto:barry_forsythe@fws.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 25, 2018 7:23 AM  
**To:** Coltrain, Katrina <[coltrain.katrina@epa.gov](mailto:coltrain.katrina@epa.gov)>  
**Cc:** Holly Herod <[holly\\_herod@fws.gov](mailto:holly_herod@fws.gov)>; Ellis, Sue <[sue\\_ellis@fws.gov](mailto:sue_ellis@fws.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Wilcox - assistance Request

Katrina,

Taking what you've provided and making some assumptions (document review vs. writing and 1 week of field work) I've come up with the following estimate.

- Ecological Risk Assessment: screen (8 hours), problem formulation (8 hours), baseline risk assessment (20 hours)
- Surveys or assessments for threatened or endangered species (8 hours)
- Assistance with the development of any additional sampling plan, if needed (8 hours)
- Assistance with the collection of any additional sampling (surface water, sediment, critter) (55 hours)

Labor and Benefits (107 hours)	= \$6,684.95
Travel	= \$1,095.50
Contingency (25%)	= \$1,945.11
Indirect (22%)	= <u>\$1,711.70</u>
	<b>\$11,437.26</b>

Please let me know if you think any of the assumptions or level of effort (labor hours and field work) should be adjusted. USFWS has a cost estimation tool (CET) that makes these things relatively easy to change/calculate.

Thank you for your continued support and I hope I can support your efforts at the Wilcox Oil site and future sites.

Barry

On Tue, Apr 24, 2018 at 3:40 PM, Coltrain, Katrina <[coltrain.katrina@epa.gov](mailto:coltrain.katrina@epa.gov)> wrote:

Barry, listed below are some of the activities that are coming up for Wilcox. I request assistance and would like to know the estimating funding needs for these.

Thanks

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- Surveys or assessments for threatened or endangered species
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- Assistance with the collection of any additional sampling (surface water, sediment, critter), if needed

Please call with any questions.

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